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SUBJECT: PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEERS ASSIGNED TO BUTSI

1. AS A RESULT OF A MEETING BETWEEN ASSISTANT SECRETARY HUMMEL AND JOHN DELLENBACK. DIRECTOR OF PEACE CORPS, DEPT HAS LEARNED THAT NAPITUPULU, SECRETARY OF BUTSI HAS REQUESTED TWO VOLUNTEERS TO WORK WITH BUTSI. DELLENBACK STATED THAT WHILE THERE HAS BEEN NO FORMAL COORDINATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OR EMBASSY, HE WAS UNDER IMPRESSION THAT EMBASSY WOULD WELCOME SUCH AN ARRANGEMENT.

2. FOLLOWING IS MAIN PORTION OF LETTER FROM PEACE CORPS EXPLAINING CONTACTS WITH BUTSI AND THE ORIGINS OF REQUEST FOR VOLUNTEERS.

QUOTE: IN JULY 1976 ACTION CO-SPONSORED AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON VOLUNTEER SERVICE IN AUSTRIA, ATTENDED BY OVER TWO HUNDRED INDIVIDUALS FROM 90 NATIONS. THESE ATTENDEES WERE INVITED NOT REPEAT NOT AS REPRESENTATIVES OF THEIR GOVERNMENTS, BUT AS INDIVIDUAL ADMINISTRATORS OF LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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DOMESTIC OR INTERNATIONAL VOLUNTEER AGENCIES. THE

ENCLOSED PROGRAM AND PARTICIPANTS LIST WILL PROVIDE
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR YOUR PERUSAL.

DURING THE COURSE OF THE CONFERENCE SEVERAL PARTICIPANTS
APPROACHED ACTION STAFF MEMBERS TO DISCUSS ESTABLISHING
WORKING RELATIONS OF DIFFERENT TYPES. SOME REQUESTED
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE, OTHERS SEED FUNDS, STILL OTHERS
TALKED OF POSSIBLE PLACEMENT OF VOLUNTEERS WITHIN DOMESTIC
VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATIONS, FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PURPOSES.

DR. W.P. NAPITUPULU, SECRETARY OF BUTSI, AND ONE OF THE
CONFERENCE KEYNOTE SPEAKERS, REQUESTED TWO VOLUNTEERS. NO
FURTHER ACTION HAS TAKEN PLACE SINCE THE CONFERENCE. ONE
OF THE PURPOSES OF THE MEETING WITH THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY
WAS TO INFORM THE DEPARTMENT OF THIS REQUEST.

THE REQUEST REMAINS VERBAL. DR. NAPITUPULU WAS ADVISED
BY US THAT NO ACTION COULD BE SET IN MOTION BY OUR AGENCY
UNTIL A WRITTEN REQUEST IS RECEIVED. THIS HAS NOT YET
HAPPENED. AS SOON AS IT DOES, AND IF IT DOES, PEACE
CORPS' RESPONSE WILL BE, AS USUAL, CLEARED AND COORDINATED
WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT. END QUOTE.

3. FYI - AS YOU KNOW PEACE CORPS HAS BEEN TRYING FOR A
NUMBER OF YEARS TO GET REVERSAL OF DEPARTMENT'S DECISION
TO HOLD THE LINE ON U.S. PERSONNEL AND NOT TO PERMIT THE
PEACE CORPS BACK INTO INDONESIA. WE WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR
JUDGMENT OF WHETHER ON BALANCE WE WOULD STAND TO GAIN OR
LOSE MOST BY REVERSING THIS POLICY AS REGARDING PEACE
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